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## Toll-Free number for Senior Citizens that have been victimized

MOUNT CLEMENS, Mich. – Macomb County seniors who think they may have been scammed, exploited or victimized are encouraged to call 1-866-498-8503, toll free, and report their problem to the Macomb County Prosecutor's Office Senior Crime Unit.

Macomb County Prosecutor Eric Smith formed the Senior Crime Unit in January 2005 to stop criminals who target senior citizens. Since its creation, the unit has only lost one case out of 229.

The Senior Crime Unit works in close cooperation with Macomb County Senior Citizen Services. Callers will speak with Chris Misuraca, victim liaison, who will help seniors navigate the complex legal system and address their problems.

## **About Macomb County**

Macomb County is an enriching community in Southeastern Michigan that has one of the state's fastest rates of growth. Its 834,000 residents make it Michigan's third-largest county, with direct access to Lake St. Clair and Anchor Bay, and a host of cultural and entertainment options. Its highly skilled workforce and investment in new and expanding businesses make it open to enterprise. Active civic leadership translates into balanced budgets and Michigan's second-lowest tax rate. An increasingly diverse population and high quality of life make Macomb County accessible to all.